

**Bath County** 

## **Water Source Overview**

Major sources include groundwater wells, springs, and Back Creek.

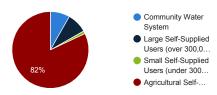
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Туре	Reported Use 2010 MGD	Projected Use 2040 MGD		
Community Water System	1.195	1.101		
Large Self-Supplied Users (over 300,000 gal/month)	1.246	1.138		
Small Self-Supplied Users (under 300,000 gal/month)	0.171	0.171		
Agricultural Self-Supplied Users	11.916	11.916		

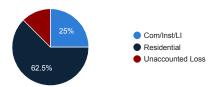
## Water Use by System Type

Approximately 2,280 people use private groundwater wells for residential water supply. All tables and graphs represent reported water use including Sales to other localities, if applicable.

\*Figure 1: Percentage of reported water use by system type in 2010 (No use data shown on graph if less than .01 MGD: Refer to Table 1)



\*Figure 2: Disaggregated water use percentages for Community Water Systems in 2010 (No graph shown if no disaggregated use data reported)



\*Table 2: Reported (2010) and projected (2040) groundwater and surface water use for Bath County in MGD

Reported 2010 Groundwater Use (MGD)	Reported 2010 Surface Water Use (MGD)	Projected 2040 Groundwater Use (MGD)	Projected 2040 Surface Water Use (MGD)
1.08	13.44	1.01	13.32

\*Figure 3: Bath County highlighted in the Commonwealth of Virginia



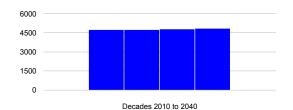
## **Projected Water Demand**

Population is projected to increase slightly through the planning period. Existing water sources are expected to meet projected demands.

\*Table 3: Bath County population projections by decade from 2010 to 2040 (data gathered from VEC projections - 05/20/13) 2010 2020 2030 2040 % Change (2010-2040)

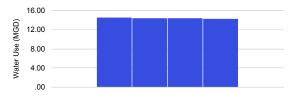
4,731 4,714 4,760 4,816 0.0%

\*Figure 4: Bath County population projections by decade for 2010, 2020, 2030 & 2040



\*Table 4 & Figure 5: Bath County water demand trends by decade for 2010, 2020, 2030 & 2040 in MGD

Reported Use 2010 MGD	Projected Use 2020 MGD	Projected Use 2030 MGD	Projected Use 2040 MGD	Percent Change (2010- 2040)	
14.53	14.46	14.39	14.33	-1.4%	



## **Drought Management Practices**

The County adopted an ordinance for the implementation and enforcement of the Drought Response and Contingency Plan. [Upper James River Basin Regional WSP]